

U. S. AND FOREIGN MARINES HELD FOR DASH TO CAPITAL

Quick Move on Mexico City May Be Necessary in Case of Sudden Downfall of Huerta.

AGREEMENT HAS BEEN REACHED

British, French and German Troops Would Join Americans in March—Would Not Be an Act of Intervention. It is Said—Huerta Will Defy Rebels to the End.

VERA CRUZ, July 1.—A dash to Mexico City by American, British, French and German marines is predicted here in the event of the collapse of Huerta's regime before any other authority has been substituted for it. This wouldn't be considered an intervention it is said, but simply a necessary step to police the capital until a government is established. The United States is understood to have agreed with the other interested powers as to the desirability of such a course. Military and naval authorities here didn't believe the dash would be resisted. Besides the American fleet there are three British cruisers, the French cruiser Conde and the German cruiser Dresden, either off or near Vera Cruz so the organization of an adequate international expedition would be a matter of no difficulty.

PARIS, July 1.—Information has been received from a reliable source at Vera Cruz to the effect Huerta is furious at the mediators' failure to bring about an agreement between his representatives at Niagara Falls and the rebels. It is said he now is determined to refuse to compromise with the constitutionalists, but will wage a guerrilla warfare against them to the end.

LOCAL COMPANY ASSUMES MANAGEMENT OF THE ALTA

NORMA ALLOWAY, EDITH JOHNSON AND CHARLES STYPE NEW PROPRIETORS.

By a deal brought to a formal conclusion today, the Alta theater, popular motion picture playhouse on Alta street, has changed hands. C. E. Oliphant, who opened the house less than a year ago, having sold his lease and equipment to the Alta Theater Co., Inc., of which Miss Norma Alloway is president, Miss Edith Johnson treasurer, and Charles M. Stype secretary and manager. The new proprietors took charge today.

The Alta theater was built last summer by C. F. Coloworthy for Mr. Oliphant, who came here from Roseburg. It cost \$16,000 and was built along the most modern lines. It has a seating capacity of 550, the largest stage in the city and is equipped with a large stock of scenery.

ARMED ULSTERMEN PARADE TO PROTEST HOME RULE

SHOWING IS POOR AND A DISAPPOINTMENT TO LEADERS OF PARTY.

BELFAST, July 1.—An armed and uniformed detachment of Ulster volunteers, pledged to resist Irish home rule, paraded under Lieutenant General Sir George Richardson. It is believed the demonstration was intended to serve notice on the government that "Ulster will fight." The turnout wasn't large and is said to have disappointed the leaders. It is believed later showings will be better as the campaign warms up.

Boston Man Defeats Englishman. HENLEY, England, July 1.—In the preliminary heats for the diamond sculls, James B. Ayers of Boston defeated R. Gould of Jesus College, Cambridge.

EXHIBIT FOR PANAMA EXPO WANTED FROM E. OREGON

DIRECTOR OF COMMISSION IS IN PENDLETON TODAY TO BOOST PLAN.

This afternoon the county court decided to name a representative to meet with representatives from Union and the other counties of this district to discuss the gathering of an eastern Oregon exhibit for the Panama-Pacific exposition.

In the interests of an Eastern Oregon exhibit at the Panama-Pacific Exposition to be held in San Francisco next year George M. Hyland, director of exploitation with the Oregon commission, is here today. He has been consulting with W. L. Thompson, local member of the commission and this afternoon will ask the county court to take steps to assist in gathering an exhibit from this county.

Under the plan proposed there will be a district exhibit from eastern Oregon, not individual county exhibits. It is expected to have the counties of Umatilla, Morrow, Union, Baker, Walla and possibly some other counties in the enterprise. The counties are asked to gather the exhibits and to replenish the display from time to time as becomes necessary.

The commission will attend to the shipping of the products and will do all work in connection with handling the exhibits at the fair.

According to Mr. Hyland Oregon will have the most distinctive and the best located state building at the exposition grounds. All the state exhibits will be assembled there and the social headquarters will be in the building. In addition to this however, duplicates of the state exhibit will be displayed in the various main buildings such as the agricultural buildings. So the products of the state will be seen even by those who do not actually visit the Oregon building.

The great exposition opens February 20 and after having attended practically every big fair in the country since the World Columbian exposition at Chicago Mr. Hyland declares the San Francisco fair will be by far the most beautiful and most pretentious exposition ever held in the world. The exposition will represent a \$50,000,000 cost all told and of this amount Californians are spending \$17,000,000.

PROHIBITION AMENDMENT POSTPONED UNTIL AUGUST

WASHINGTON, July 1.—In the absence of a majority of the members of the house rules committee postponed until August 1 action on the Cantrell resolution providing for an immediate consideration of the Hobson national prohibition amendment to the constitution.

Portland designs to span the railroad ships at Holgate avenue with a viaduct costing \$110,000, railroads to pay one half.

LECTURER EXPLAINS WHAT THE CHAUTAUQUA WILL MEAN TO CITY

Speaking from the city hall steps last evening to a fair-sized street audience, Ernest J. Sias, lecturer and herald for the Ellison-White Chautauqua System, told the meaning of the chautauqua to Pendleton and told, too, something of the attractions which will be offered to the community during chautauqua week which commences on the evening of July 4.

Something of the importance of the chautauqua movement is to be gained from his statement that within the past nine years it has grown from a 600 town to a 5000 town affair and that this year more than 40,000,000 people in the United States would listen to chautauqua programs. The first chautauqua was organized 41 years ago at Lake Chautauqua and the movement took its name from its birthplace.

The purpose of the chautauqua movement, he said, is to place within the reach of all people some of the world's greatest attractions, famous thinkers and speakers, great bands and other musical organizations and other high class, wholesome entertainment and instructors. In a larger way it seeks to build up communities, especially small communities, he said. It does this, he went on to say, by bringing thousands of people and thousands of dollars to the city each year, by making the city a center of attraction and thus stimulating the life of the city by creating a festival week; by arousing a civic pride, and by putting the people in personal contact with lecturers representing

AUSTRIAN TROOPS GAIN UPPER HAND IN TROUBLE ZONE

Croats Who Attacked Servians are Driven Into Their Own Quarters—Streets are Patrolled.

UPRISINGS BEING QUELLED

Fire Which Started at Mostar During Riots Is Extinguished—Serajevo Is Placed Under Martial Law—Soldiers Nip Serbian Revolt But New Disorders Feared.

BERLIN, July 1.—War between Austria and Serbia is feared as a result of the assassination. Serbia could resist Austria for hardly a day, but Russia is supposed to be its protector. Should the car be drawn into the controversy, it is agreed here nobody could tell where or when the trouble would stop. Austrian officials dam unquestionably is convinced of a widespread plot behind Ferdinand's assassination.

BUDAPEST, July 1.—Austrian troops had gained the upper hand today in the various provinces in which pro-Serbian and anti-Serbian disorders broke out following the assassinations of Archduke Ferdinand and his wife. The fire starting during yesterday's rioting at Mostar has been extinguished. The Croats who invaded the Serbian quarter were driven back into their own section of the city. Cavalry is patrolling the streets. Serajevo is still under martial law.

If a Serbian revolt had been planned in Bosnia and Herzegovina it seemed to have been stamped out for the time being. The Serbian population was in an ugly temper, however, and predictions of future trouble especially of more assassinations, are freely made.

Dirigible Flies 35 Hours. TOULON, July 1.—The military dirigible Adjutant Vincent, with eight passengers, made a flight of 35 hours and 20 minutes, a duration record for dirigibles.

T. R. Sees Eye Specialist. NEW YORK, July 1.—Roosevelt returned from Pittsburgh today and consulted Dr. Holbrook Curtis, a throat specialist. He then visited the editor of the New York magazine that will handle his Brazilian articles. He ate lunch with a party from the American Museum of Natural History. He returned to Oyster Bay at 2:15 o'clock.

Aviator Killed. ST. PETERSBURG, July 1.—Captain Bojaroglo, an army aviator, was killed at Peskoff by the fall of his monoplane.

5 MINERS TRAPPED IN BURNING MINE.

WILLIAMSON, Virginia, July 1.—Five miners are trapped in the entry to the Sycamore mine, and a fire is spreading from the fanhouse to where they are working. Twenty others escaped.

GEORGE MARIE NOMINATED FOR ST. PETERSBURG POST

WASHINGTON, July 1.—The nomination of George Marie of San Francisco to be American Ambassador to Russia was sent to the senate soon after Bryan had received assurance from St. Petersburg that he will be acceptable to the Russian government.

NEWS SUMMARY

General. Mount Lassen in violent eruption throws ashes a mile in air. United States and foreign marines are ready to dash to Mexico City in case of disorders following Huerta's downfall.

Armed Ulstermen parade to protest against Home Rule. Villa and Carranza not near settlement of their differences. Austria and Serbia may go to war because of assassination of Archduke Ferdinand.

Local. Umatilla county will co-operate with other counties to get eastern Oregon exhibit for Panama fair. Farmers' Union buys independent warehouse.

Open air audience hears chautauqua booster speak. "Jimmy" Johns wins tennis championship of city.

Alta theater changes hands. Lodi protests game won yesterday by Walla Walla.

SCENES IN FLAME—SWEEP SALEM

Upper, one of the many homes which was destroyed by fire at Salem, Mass.

Lower, loading up their belongings in the fire zone and waiting till last hope is gone. The picture above is the remains of their once home.

SALEM, Mass., July 1.—Half of this city is smoldering in a mass of ruins. The entire town is under martial law, 1100 militiamen are guarding the homes and factories left when the flames drove 10,000 out of their homes and caused damage estimated at \$10,000,000.

MOUNT LASSEN IN ACTIVITY THROWS ASHES MILE HIGH

Worst Eruption Since Main Crater Burst Into Activity Comes at Early Hour This Morning.

SULPHUR FUMES VERY STRONG

New Rift Opens on Northern Slope and Emits Smoke—Ashes and Pumice are Hained Upon the Surrounding Country—Eruption Is Visible for Many Miles Away.

REDDING, Colo., July 1.—The fiercest eruption of Mount Lassen since the main crater burst into activity a month ago occurred at 5:45 a. m. today. The air was still and a huge smoke puff ascended straight into the sky for a height estimated at a mile before it mushroomed, and began raining ashes and pumice upon the surrounding country. The eruption was visible an hour when the smoke settled and obscured the view.

As far away as McCumber Flat, 13 miles from the foot of the slope, ashes fell heavily. The smell of sulphur was unpleasantly noticeable 20 miles from the mountain.

Besides the outburst from the main crater, a new rift appeared to have opened down the mountain's northern slope from which clouds of smoke were emitted.

Prosperity in San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, July 1.—Fifteen hundred local business men took part in a prosperity banquet in the ferry building.

SITUATION WELL AND IN NEW ORLEANS

THERE IS NO CAUSE FOR ALARM DECLARES WASHINGTON OFFICIAL.

NEW ORLEANS, July 1.—The health authorities believed they had the bubonic plague situation well in hand. The infected district is being carefully watched, but it is believed there will be no spread of the disease. A relentless war is being waged on rats. Several hundred men are engaged in the work.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—A lot of foolish notions prevail regarding the plague situation at New Orleans. "Stories that cuts will be used to exterminate rats are also ridiculous. Cats are afraid of enormous wharf rats. There is no need for alarm anywhere."

Clerk Finds a Fortune. PATERSON, N. J., July 1.—Raymond Sifdoll, a 16-year old drug clerk living at 133 Pearl street, has suddenly found himself well-to-do because he rumaged among his father's papers in an old trunk in the family parlor.

Letters indicating that his father, Brehm Sifdoll, who died 15 years ago, had been receiving drafts from abroad led to the location of an estate in a suburb of Paris that had belonged to the boy's grandfather.

Breaking of Gangplank Fatal. BOSTON, July 1.—Henry Cosgrove, an aged Roxbury man, was killed and four other persons were hurt, one seriously, when a gang plank leading from a pier in Charleston to the White Star liner Cymric, broke and fell on the people below it.

Brooks shipped a carload of loganberries a day.

VILLA MAY SEIZE GOVERNMENT FROM GENERAL CARRANZA

Efforts to Settle Differences Between Rebel Leaders Are Believed to be Most Unsuccessful.

BREACH IS GROWING WIDER

New Revolution May Be Result With Villa at Its Head—Representatives of Two Generals Will Meet Tomorrow—Villa Is Silent Regarding the Situation.

MONTEREY, July 1.—Carranza has promoted Generals Gonzales and Obregon to the rank of major generals, making them both of the rank of Villa. The latter's supporters are furious, declaring Carranza's action was a deliberate insult to their leader. Carranza has designated Monterey as the provisional capital.

EL PASO, July 1.—Carranza and Villa are thought unlikely to become reconciled through the mediation efforts of their representatives. Men in touch with the situation predicted the breach will widen and that Villa either will start a revolution of his own or seize control of the government headed by Carranza. The two generals' representatives are expected to meet tomorrow or Friday at San Pedro or Pecos.

Carranza's leading emissary is General Antonio Villereal, military governor of Coahuila. It is understood he is authorized to make any reasonable concessions to Villa. Villa himself is silent concerning the break with Carranza but his supporters here and at Juarez, said Carranza's interference with his campaign is delaying the success of the rebel cause. They added that Villa wasn't actuated by motives of personal ambition but would be guided entirely by the wishes of the generals under him. That he is powerfully supported against Carranza is evident.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—Officialdom is deeply concerned over the trouble between Carranza and Villa. Villa's Washington representative, Felix Summerfield, insisted the general still is in accord with Carranza, and had returned to Torreon only to prepare for a final dash to Mexico City. Carranzistas are open in discussing the quarrel, declaring Villa is "drunk with ambition."

The Mexico City situation is another cause of worry to the administration. Huerta's overthrow is considered imminent and it is feared it will be followed by the gravest disorders.

The mediators having taken an indefinite recess and no further developments are looked for from Niagara Falls until more is heard from Carranza concerning sending rebel representatives to confer with the Huertista envoys, which he has expressed some inclination to do, though he wanted more time to discuss matters with his advisors.

TORREON, July 1.—That Villa has telegraphed Wilson urging the lifting of the embargo on the importation of arms and ammunition from the United States into Mexico is reported here.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—President Wilson authorized the following statement: "Mexican affairs are in as good shape as they can be until the factions get together."

DENIAL MADE THAT NORTH BANK FAVORS PUGET SOUND

TRAFFIC MANAGER EXPLAINS RATE MAKING BEFORE I. C. EXAMINER PUGH.

PORTLAND, Ore., July 1.—During a cross examination by Attorney Fulton before Interstate Commerce Examiner Pugh, Traffic Manager Skinner of the North Bank road denied the Great Northern and Northern Pacific built the North Bank for the purpose of holding the Columbia river situation and keeping their influence on the side of Puget Sound. Skinner was on the stand for the railroads who are resisting efforts of Astoria to secure terminal freight rates on a parity with Puget Sound and Grays Harbor. Skinner analyzed the subject of rate making and why what appears an immoderately low rate for certain long distance hauls is caused by competition between Washington and Oregon lines. C. H. George, a North Bank stationer submitted official reports to show that since it was built the road never earned enough to pay the four per cent on its bonded debt.

